# World Oil's STATE AGENCY SURVEY

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State/area:	Alabama/Onshore		
Agency:	State Oil and Gas Board of Alabama		
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# NUMBERS OF NEW WELLS

(Please submit latest available figures)

New Wells Drilled*	2009 (actual)	First half, 2010 (estimated)	Second half, 2010 (planned)
New oil wells drilled	14	12	13
New gas wells drilled	151	76	100
Dry holes drilled	4	4	5
Service wells drilled	0	1	1
Suspended wells drilled**	0	7	6
Total New Wells Drilled	169	100	125
Total New Footage Drilled	507,557	410,743	475,000
Coalbed methane well <u>permits</u> issued in TOTAL	168	147	110
Coalbed methane <u>wells</u> drilled (included in totals)	145	72	93

<sup>\*</sup>A well drilled is any borehole (well, sidetrack or lateral) drilled to TD.

# NUMBERS OF PRODUCING WELLS

Producing Oil Wells	Number of wells (at end of 2009)
Flowing naturally	112
Artificial lift methods	755
TOTAL PRODUCING OIL WELLS	867
TOTAL PRODUCING Gas or gas-condensate wells	426
TOTAL PRODUCING coalbed methane wells***	5,770

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New Wells Drilled*	2009 (actual)	First half, 2010 (estimated)	Second half, 2010 (planned)
New oil wells drilled			
New gas wells drilled	1	0	0
Dry holes drilled			
Service wells drilled			
Suspended wells drilled**			
Total New Wells Drilled	1	0	0
Total New Footage Drilled	21,711	0	0
Coalbed methane well <u>permits</u> issued in TOTAL	0	0	0
Coalbed methane <u>wells</u> drilled (included in totals)	0	0	0

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	Number of wells (at end of 2009)	
Flowing naturally	0	
Artificial lift methods	0	
TOTAL PRODUCING OIL WELLS	0	
TOTAL PRODUCING Gas or gas-condensate wells	40	
TOTAL PRODUCING coalbed methane wells***	0	

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